that claim 18 will be consistent; and the phrase "A cover unit" has been adopted in which "A" has been added to "Cover unit" (claims 1, 18, 19).

It is noted that claims 1-8, 12-13 and 16-22 would be allowable if rewritten or amended to overcome the rejection under 35 U.S.C. §112. It is submitted that the foregoing amendment clearly accomplishes this goal.

It is submitted that the foregoing amendment clearly places the application in condition for allowance. The Examiner is respectfully requested to call the undersigned to advise on the disposition of this amendment or to work out any other language differences which might be necessary. This is believed to be appropriate in the present circumstance wherein all of the claims have otherwise been considered to be allowable and applicant has made a sincere effort to remedy the objections pointed out by the Examiner.

If the Examiner does not enter the amendment for purposes of placing the application in condition for allowance, then its entry is requested for purposes of appeal.

Respectfully submitted,

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